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<p>In re Application of SIEN G. KANG et al.</p>		
<p>Application Number 09/893,340 Filed June 26, 2001</p>		
<p>For SURFACE FINISHING OF SOI SUBSTRATES USING AN EPI PROCESS</p>		
<p>Art Unit 2813 Examiner Jack S.J. Chen</p>		
<p>Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.</p>		
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